

17 March 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Senate Armed Services Strategic and Theater Nuclear Forces Subcommittee
Hearing on Soviet Civil Defense

1. The Senate Armed Services Subcommittee on Strategic and Theater Nuclear Forces held a hearing on 17 March 1982 at 0830 hours on Soviet Civil Defense. The hearing was held in Room 212 Russell Senate Office Building and the room was swept and monitored. A transcript was taken.

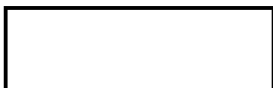
2. Senator John Warner (R., VA), Subcommittee Chairman, was the only Member present.

3. Present from the Subcommittee staff were:

Frank Gaffney
George Johnson

Patrick Renehan

4. Appearing from the Agency were:



Director, Office of Soviet Analysis/DDI
Office of Soviet Analysis

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5. This was an outstanding presentation, the fact of which was noted by Senator Warner. The Senator was impressed by the Soviet program of Civil Defense and had two rhetorical questions:

- a. Why are the Soviets doing it?
- b. Why isn't the U.S. doing it?



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